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FOR BINDING A BOOK**

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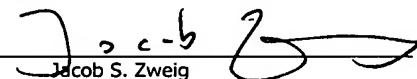
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 25, 2006, please amend the above-captioned application as set forth below. Applicants have petitioned for a one month extension of time.

The state of the claims is set forth beginning at page 2 of the subject Response. Please also consider the Remarks set forth beginning at page 12 of the subject Response.